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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

NAOKI HAYASHIDA, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION

SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. APPLICATION :
(BASED ON PCT/JP03/03560)

FILED: HEREWITH :

FOR: ARTICLE WITH COMPOSITE
HARDCOAT LAYER AND
METHOD FOR FORMING
COMPOSITE HARDCOAT LAYER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.